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8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of peoples under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

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8. Markets supply :—Well supplied.

9 *Agricultural operations.*—It is reported that raiyats are busily engaged in ploughing and manuring their fields and that rain is urgently wanted for ploughing purposes.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, mulberry, paddy, ragi, til and groundnuts are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Vaisaki paddy is being harvested in parts of Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. *Conditions of Agricultural stocks.*—Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Ploughing operation are going on in Kolar, Chikballapur, and Mulbagal Taluks. Rains are wanted for sowing purposes in parts of the district. Raiyats are reported to be engaged in carting manure in some parts of Chikballapur Taluk. Ploughing operations are not in good condition in Bagepalli for want of rains.

Standing crops.—Standing crops such as Vaisakhy paddy, sugar-cane and gingelly are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Ragi, avare, groundnut are being sown in some of the villages of Chikballapur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy is being harvested in Mulbagal Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains.—Stationary. Labour is available.

11. Except for the prevalence of rinderpest in Holur, Guttahalli and Muduvadi Hosahalli villages of Kolar Taluk, Avani Hobli in Mulbagal Taluk, Mustur village Kasaba Hobli in Chikballapur Taluk, some of the villages of Kasaba, Mittemari and Pathapalya Hoblies in Bagepalli Taluk and Dapparthi and Kondaralapalli villages in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, the cattle are reported to generally healthy.

Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Ground nut, castor, ragi in parts of Pavagada Taluk. Paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk and til in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Sira, Gubbi Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk. Sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Madhugiri, Kunigal Taluks; Kortagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks. Black-gram, green-gram, jola and til in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Except for the prevalence of rinderpest in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi Taluks, cattle in other parts of the District are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are reported to be available and adequate at present. Cholera prevailed in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Pavagada Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured in parts of Malvalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, jola, mulberry, horse-gram, til, togari, coriander, cotton, tadagani are reported to be fair.

Seeds sown.—Transplantation of Chillies is going on in parts of Heggaddevankote Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Yedatore and Heggaddevankote Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair. It is reported that rain is wanted in parts of Yedatore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

11. (1) Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Doddaroga in Bisalwadi, Nagavalli, Manchigudipura, Chandakavadi, Yedagumba and Nanjedevanapur of Chamarajanagar Taluk in Ambigarahalli of Krishnarajpete and in Alasandra of Nagamangala Taluks.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to take necessary preventive measures.

2. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy is being shown in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad and Belur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Hassan and Belur, Taluks; and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, sugar-cane in the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, jolam and til in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks, green-gram and menthya in the Channarayapatna Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Standing crops are reported to be in need of rains early.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for 'Rinderpest' in some parts of Ramanathpur Hobli, Arkalgud Taluk, in Mylanhalli Kasaba Hobli and Halkur, Kanakatte Hobli, in the Arsikere Taluk and in Cholenahalli Kasaba Hobli, Channarayapatna Taluk, and for 'Chappe Rõga' and 'Mettare Kattu' in the Harabihalli, Belua Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors are reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in all the parts of the district.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in all the taluks and sub-taluk of Kumsi, ragi and jola, avare and togari in the Channagiri Taluk; groundnut and jola in the Honnali Taluk are being sown.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane is reported to be in a fair condition in all the taluks and sub-taluk of Kumsi.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good. Food grain are available and their prices are steady. It is reported that rain is wanted in the Honnali and Shikarpur.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for foot disease. (Kunta Roga) at Birsi village in the Tirthahalli Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector has been addressed to take needful steps. Water and fodder are reported to be available throughout the District.

KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district, for transplanting of pady.

Crops sown.—Paddy in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district; ragi, avare, jolam, til, black-gram, green-gram, coriander in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district; jolam, til, ragi, green-gram, black-gram, garlic and coriander in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in Tarikere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district, but it is reported that rinderpest in Niduvalli village, Kadur Taluk, and Nemmar village, Koppa Taluk and foot and mouth disease in Narsipur and Kunchur village, Koppa Taluk, are prevailing.

Water and fodder, for cattle are available in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing carting manure, and sowing operations are in progress in this district.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, gidda ragi, paddy, groundnut, til, cotton, jola, togari. It is reported that standing crops in Hosdurga Taluk are fading for want of rains.

Seeds sown.—Chitaldrug cotton, togari, jola, green-gram, til and paddy and groundnut; Challakere:—Castor, togari and groundnut; Holalkere:—Ragi, togari, avare and jola; Davangere:—Groundut, til and paddy; Jagalur—Groundnut, cotton, jola and til; Hosdurga:—Jola; Harihar:—Groundnut and til.

Crops harvested.—Hiriyur:—Groundnut 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary; cooly classes generally find labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for rinderpest at Hirekandavadi in Holalkere Taluk, Alur and Narganahalli, Davangere Taluk, Yeralakatte in Jagalur Taluk and Mathodu, Srirampur and Nerlakere in Hosdurga Taluk and black quarter in Syabanur in Davangere Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors have been addressed to take immediate necessary steps in the matter to check the spread of the disease. Water and fodder are available.

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Revenue Commissioner.